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TO AMEMBASSY BUENOS AIRES

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SUBJECT: AMERICAN STAFF REDUCTIONS

REF: (A) BUENOS AIRES 8102; (B) BUENOS AIRES 8126;

----- (C) BUENOS AIRES 8469

1. AFTER DISCUSSING REDUCTIONS PROPOSED IN REF (A) WITH
AMBASSADOR HILL AND WITH CONCURRENCE OF AGENCIES CONCERNED,
DEPARTMENT APPROVES FOLLOWING PROPOSED REDUCTIONS AS
FOLLOWS:

----- USAID - RTAC POSITION TO MONTEVIDEO PER REF (C).

----- STATE - CONCUR IN ABOLITION OF NARCOTICS COORDINATOR
AND ECON/COMMERCIAL POSITIONS, PLUS CANCELLING PELEUSES'S
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----- USIA - CONCUR IN CANCELLING GORDON ASSIGNMENT AND HOLDING AVO POSITION VACANT. CONCUR WITH PROPOSAL TO DESIGNATE MEYER CAO AND CANCEL ACAO POSITION VICE MEYER. AGENCY PREFERS RETAIN CENTER DIRECTOR AND WILL REPLACE GURVIN. CONSEQUENTLY, EXCHANGE OFFICER POSITION WILL BE ABOLISHED AND DURBIN WILL BE REASSIGNED. SPENCER SHOULD THEN DEVOTE ABOUT 50 PERCENT OF HIS WORK TO EXCHANGE PROGRAM.

2. WITH RESPECT TO VARIOUS PROPOSALS SET FORTH REF (B), DEPARTMENT AGREES THAT GAMBLE MUST BE CONSIDERED HIGH-PROFILE TARGET AND CONCURS WITH VIEW THAT PRUDENCE INDICATES MEASURES SHOULD BE TAKEN TO MINIMIZE HIS PERSONAL RISK. DEPARTMENT BELIEVES BEST SOLUTION WOULD BE FOR GAMBLE TO TRANSFER TO MONTEVIDEO AND SET UP OFFICE IN EMBASSY THERE, RETURNING PERIODICALLY IN COORDINATION WITH EMBASSY BUENOS AIRES. IN THIS WAY, HE COULD CONTINUE TO MAKE EFFECTIVE CONTRIBUTION ON LABOR REPORTING SCENE WITH MINIMUM EXPOSURE. PROPOSAL FOR HIM TO RETURN TO DEPARTMENT FOR LANGUAGE TRAINING ON TDY BASIS IS NOT ACCEPTABLE.

3. PROPOSED PERSONNEL DEPLOYMENTS TO MONTEVIDEO WILL BE CLEARED IN ADVANCE WITH AMBASSADOR SIRACUSA. EMBASSY WILL BE NOTIFIED.

4. NEGOTIATIONS WITH OTHER AGENCIES ON PROPOSED REDUCTIONS NOT MENTIONED FOREGOING ARE PROCEEDING. EMBASSY WILL BE NOTIFIED. INGERSOLL

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